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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No.: 10/073,193

Confirmation No.: 5283

In re Application of:

Pascal NICOLLE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2121

Filed: February 13, 2002

Examiner: Aaron C. Perez-Daple

For: PROGRAMMING STATION GENERATING A PROGRAM IN
SINGLE LANGUAGE AND AUTOMATION EQUIPMENT USING
SUCH A PROGRAM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 CFR \$1.17

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official
Action in the above-identified application. The shortened
statutory period having expired August 7, 2004, it is hereby
requested that the period for response be extended for two (2)
months. There is also attached our Check No. 18059 in the amount
of \$430.00 in payment for:

Extension fee for response within first month
pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].

XX Extension fee for response within second month
pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$430.00) [\$215.00].

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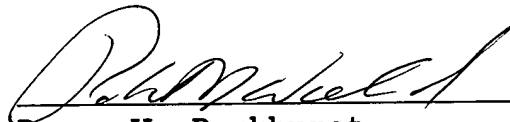
Extension fee for response within third month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$980.00) [\$490.00].

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 160331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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